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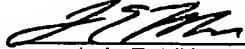
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

A petition for a month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136 accompanies this transmittal in response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2002 in connection with the above-identified application, thus extending the time for response from to .

The fee for new claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AMENDED						
(1)	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3)	(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$18	\$ 00.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	2	MINUS	4	= 0	X \$78	\$ 00.00
TOTAL CLAIM FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT				=	\$ 00.00	

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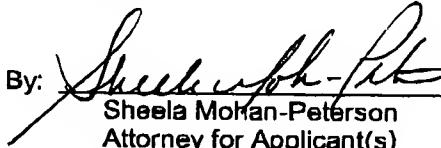
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